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INTEG LAN/Area Study

U.S.S.R. (500)

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INTEGRATED LANGUAGE/AREA STUDYUSSR23 SEPTEMBER TO 20 DECEMBER 1957

This course will be given Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, from 0830 to 1030 hours, in Room 2823, Quarters Eye. Application for registration must be received by the Registrar, Office of Training, on or before 9 September.

This course is designed to increase background knowledge of the USSR and to improve the student's knowledge of the Russian language. Lectures and assignments will be based on area materials, including geography, history, economics, politics, literature, art, army and navy, etc.

The student must have completed a minimum of two years part-time or 9 months full-time study of Russian, or the equivalent, as a prerequisite to enrolling in this course. An interview with the instructor, [REDACTED] Room 1924, Quarters Eye, extension [REDACTED] is required of applicants.

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SCHEDULE

Monday	23 September	Geography of the USSR
Wednesday	25 September	Ethnography of the USSR
Friday	27 September	The Russian Plain before the formation of of the Russian State.
Monday	30 September	Kiev Russia. Novgorod Russia
Wednesday	2 October	Rostov-Suzdal Russia
Friday	4 October	Ancient Russian Literature (tale of the Host of Igor, etc.)
Monday	7 October	Film: Sadko
Wednesday	9 October	The Rise of Moscow.
Friday	11 October	The Great Lithuanian Principality
Monday	14 October	The Epoch of Ivan the Terrible
Wednesday	16 October	Film: Ivan the Terrible
Friday	18 October	The Time of Troubles

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9 October Wednesday	0900 - 1015	The Europeans - history and strategic importance to the U. S.
	1015 - 1030	Break
	1030 - 1145	The Europeans - national attitudes and differences, social attitudes, hints for meeting them (panel)
	1145 - 1205	Film: "The Story of MDAP" (background of U. S. support of a free Europe)
	1205 - 1235	Film: "France and Its People" (Britannica series)
10 October Thursday	0900 - 1010	Practical advice on housekeeping, working conditions, shopping, dining out, entertainment (panel)
	1010 - 1025	Break
	1025 - 1130	What to see (color slides)
	1130 - 1200	Session for the ladies
	1200 - 1230	Film, as appropriate, on Spain, Scandinavia, Belgium, etc.
11 October Friday	0900 - 0945	Legal advice
	0945 - 1005	Film: "Will Europe Unite?"
	1005 - 1020	Break
	1020 - 1145	Choice of interviews with recent returnees (re individual poets), visit to LAS Library, and final interview with the instructor
	1145 - 1200	Your critique of the course
	1200 - 1230	Film: "Air Adventure to Europe" (color)

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Monday	21 October
Wednesday	23 October
Friday	25 October
Monday	28 October
Wednesday	30 October
Friday	1 November
Monday	4 November
Wednesday	6 November
Friday	8 November
Monday	11 November
Wednesday	13 November
Friday	15 November
Monday	18 November
Wednesday	20 November
Friday	22 November
Monday	25 November
Wednesday	27 November
Friday	29 November
Monday	2 December
Wednesday	4 December
Friday	6 December
Monday	9 December

Film

Russia in the 17th Century

Film: Bogdan Khmelnitsky

Russian Literature of the Moscow Period

The Epoch of Peter the Great

Film: Peter I

The Era of court revolutions (1725-41).
Reign of Elizabeth

The Era of Catherine the Great

Film: Ushakov

Holiday

Film: Suvorov

Russian Literature of the age of Catherine
the Great

The Reign of Alexander I

Film: The year 1812

The Reign of Nicholas I

The "Golden Age" of Russian Literature

Film: Admiral Nakhimov

The Reign of Alexander II - Era of Great
Reforms

Russian Music of the 19th Century

Film: Bolshoi Koncert

Foreign Policy of Alexander II. The
Revolutionary movement

Russian Literature of 2nd half of the
19th Century

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Wednesday	11 December	The End of the 19th and the Beginning of the 20th Century
Friday	13 December	Russian Expansion into Siberia and the Far East
Monday	16 December	Film: The Cruiser Varyag
Wednesday	18 December	The Revolution of 1905 and the Duma
Friday	20 December	Russian Literature on the eve of the Revolution

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14 May 1957

Chief, Language and Area School

Assistant, Eastern Studies

Weekly Activities Report

A. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

Students of the Integrated Russian Language/Area Course (Phase II) have requested in a memorandum to the DTR that [REDACTED] be authorized to continue his lectures in this course an additional four weeks, until 31 May 1957.

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B. OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. [REDACTED] course on the Indian Sub-Continent was completed on 10 May, having had 13 students in regular attendance. The course was enthusiastically received and there were many indications that it filled a long-felt need. Several requests for a repeat of the course have been received.

2. The flags of the 81 United Nations have been received for display in the Language and Area School. One set will be hung in the Language Laboratory, 2132 "I" Building, and the other set in the corridor of Wing "F", Quarters Eye.

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4. The Russian Reader for Beginning and Intermediate Classes TR RM O-10, which was prepared by [REDACTED] was received from the printers this week. 125 copies were made, and further copies will be produced later from the plates in our possession.

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C. PERSONNEL ITEMS

[REDACTED] who has been on loan to OTR from ER, left 10 May for an operation.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Registrar, OTR *Wick*

DATE: 23 May 1957

FROM : Deputy Chief, Language and Area School

SUBJECT: Integrated Russian Area/Language Program (Phase II)

1. This is to advise that request made by the students for an extension of the Integrated Russian Area/Language Program (Phase II) has been approved by the Director of Training.

2. This course was originally scheduled to meet from 0845 to 1045 hours, Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 4 February through 3 May 1957, and the extension is for eight additional class sessions to be held from 0845 to 1045 hours, Wednesdays and Fridays, and ending 31 May 1957.

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cc: C/LAS

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